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PART VI.

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Notification dated 5th January 1923.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting honge leaves and seeds in the State Forests, reserved lands, District Forests, plantations and other lands at the disposal of the Government for the year 1922-23 of the undermentioned taluks, will be sold villagewar by the following officers on the dates and at the places noted below:—

Serial No.	Name of taluk	Name of hobli	Date of sale	Place of sale	Remarks. Name of officer conducting the sale
1	Mysore ..	1. Mysore .. 2. Elival 3. Chattanahalli 4. Kadakola 5. Varuna	27th January 1923	Mysore ..	District Forest Officer, Mysore.
2	Yedatore ..	1. Yedatore .. 2. Chunchankatte 3. Saligrama 4. Mirle 5. Hosa Agrahara	29th January 1923	Yedatore ..	Range Officer, Hunsur
3	Hunsur ..	1. Hunsur .. 2. Bilikere 3. Heggandur 4. Periyapatna 5. Haranahalli 6. Bettadapura 7. Chilkunda	30th January 1923	Hunsur ..	Range Forest Officer, Hunsur.

Serial No.	Name of taluk	Name of hobli	Date of sale	Place of sale	Remarks. Name of officer conducting the sale
4	Heggaddevankote ..	1. Heggaddevankote .. 2. Hampapura 3. Sargur 4. Antheranthe 5. Kandaliko	31st January 1923	Heggaddevankote	Range Forest Officer, Heggaddevankote.
5	Seringapatam and Krishnarajpete.	1. Hirode .. 2. Melkote	1st February 1923	French Rocks ..	Range Forest Officer, French Rocks.
6	Mandya ..	1. Mandya .. 2. Basaralu 3. Dudda 4. Kothathi 5. Koppa 6. Maddur 7. Athagoda	2nd February 1923	Mandya ..	District Forest Officer.
7	Nagamangala ..	1. Nagamangala .. 2. Bindiganavale 3. Nelligere 4. Devalapura 5. Honagere	3rd February 1923	Nagamangala ..	Range Forest Officer, French Rocks.
8	Krishnarajpete ..	1. Krishnarajpete .. 2. Akkihebbalu 3. Kikkeri 4. Santhebachahalli 5. Chinakurli 6. Kannambadi	5th February 1923	Krishnarajpete ..	Do
9	Malvalli ..	1. Malvalli .. 2. Kirugavalu 3. Chikka Arsikere 4. Boppagowdanpura 5. Halgur	6th February 1923	Malvalli ..	Do

1. The auction sale will commence at 2 P.M. and, if it is not concluded on the same day, will be continued on the next following day.

2. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

3. Intending bidders must be in possession of a certificate from the Amildar of the taluk in which they reside, vouching for their solvency. No person will be allowed to bid in the absence of such a certificate.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer holding the sale, a sum of Rs. 10, which must be deposited in the form of currency notes. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale. Silver will not be accepted as earnest money.

5. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests, as the case may be, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, pay up the entire sale amount, including the deposit already made, together with local cess at one anna per rupee and railway cess at three pies per rupee. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

N. B.—If the deficit be not paid, it will be recovered as a revenue demand.

7. If the sale is not confirmed the amount paid will be refunded to the party.

8. The Honge produce referred to here does not include the produce found on kharab, assessed waste, as also gomal govetan and other lands reserved for communal purposes as per Government Order No. I. C. 4482-91—Ft. 280-20-19, dated 17th February 1922.

9. The accepted bidder shall execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper, within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned. In default, the acceptance of his bid will be revocked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are :—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for the cutting or injuring of any other trees on the plea of collecting the produce. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the District Forest Officer, or the Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permission from the Range Officers before they enter State Forests.

Printed passes prescribed by the District Forest Officer shall be issued to cartmen under the signature of the lessee for export of produce.

(*e*) The lessee shall keep and render accounts every month to the District Forest Officer, of the produce collected and removed by him or his agents during the month. His accounts will be liable for the inspection of the Conservator of Forests or District Forest Officer or by any other officer deputed by either of them.

(*f*) The lessee, his agents or servants, shall render all possible help in preventing the occurrence of fires in forests in which he or they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*g*) The lessee shall remove out of the limits of the forest all produce collected and sold under the terms of the lease before the close of official year.

(*h*) Neither the lessee nor his servants shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

10. In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled and the lessee fined to the extent of Rs. 100.

M. MACHAIYA,
District Forest Officer.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

Notification dated 7th January 1923.

It is hereby notified for general information that the following quantities of timber and minor forest produce will be sold by public auction in the Hassan Depot on the date noted below by the District Forest Officer, Hassan, at Hassan.

The sale will be commenced at 2 P.M.

No.	Name of depot	Date of sale	Description of timber	Quantity	Remarks
1	Hassan	30th January 1923 ..	Teak Poles 548 .. Honne 23 .. Wood oil .. Canes ..	1,159 c.ft. 262 c.ft. 35 tins 398	More or less

TERMS OF SALE.

1. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason therefor. Should any lot be disputed, it shall again be reauctioned.

2. Each purchaser shall, immediately after the purchase of a lot, pay as earnest money a sum of Rs. 5 and sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot so purchased in the book provided for the purpose. Such payment and signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of sale as herein specified.

3. Immediately after the sale, each purchaser will be furnished with a memo showing the total amount due by him and with a chellan to pay immediately twenty-five per cent of such amount as deposit into the Taluk Treasury at the place. The receipt for the deposit money granted by the Treasury Officer must be presented to the District Forest Officer at once. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the District Forest Officer shall be at liberty to resell all or any portion of the timber purchased by such defaulter, who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit on such resale. The amount due by such defaulter shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand.

Note.—For the convenience of the purchasers. the quarter deposit or the whole of the sale amount will be received and acknowledged by the officer conducting the sale, if tendered on the spot at the time of the sale.

4. The whole quantity purchased by each purchaser must be paid for in full within 30 days of sale, failing which, the earnest and deposit moneys already paid in shall be